

## RAINBOW MESSENGER

APRIL, 2009

### DAILY ACTIVITIES:



- **WALKING:** - In climate-controlled banquet room, twenty-five (25) laps equals a mile



- **OUTSIDE WALKING TRAIL:** - Each lap equals 1/3 Mile.



- **FITNESS ROOM:** Open for your convenience Monday – Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. (We ask that you please register at the front desk when using the fitness room.)



- **CARDS:** - Card tables available for your use on a daily basis.



- **BILLIARDS/POOL:** Pool tables available Monday – Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. except Wednesdays from 1:00 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.



- **COMPUTER LAB:** - The computer lab is available for your personal use daily. **FREE** computer assistance is available every Wednesday morning from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m. Ryan and Jack are here to assist you and answer your questions regarding computer questions. Come in and let them help you out!!

**Remember:** The room is scheduled for Taxes on Tuesdays and Fridays through April 14th.

### REGULAR SCHEDULED ACTIVITIES:

- **EXERCISE CLASS** meets Monday and Thursday mornings at 9:00 a.m. We meet in the Banquet Room. Our exercises are designed to help keep your joints limber.

- **TLC CLASS (Tender Loving Craft Class):** Come and join the new TLC Class (Tender Loving Crafts). Everyone age 55 and older is welcome to come and take part. The classes are fun and educational and a super way to meet new people. We will meet in the Craft Room on **Tuesday's 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** The studio fee is \$3.00 per session. Project supplies will be at cost.

April 7<sup>th</sup> – Bunnies—Eggs—Baskets

April 14<sup>th</sup>— Stamp Art

April 21<sup>st</sup>— Memory Bracelets

April 28<sup>th</sup>— No Class

- **During the month of May the Arts and Crafts Department will be open extended hours. On Tuesday afternoon's from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. all crafty people are invited to come, bring along their crafts projects and ideas. This time has been set aside so you can come in and see what the craft department has to offer you. Be sure to come and bring a friend. It's time to start taking advantage of what is available.**



- **SINGING SENIORS:** The Singing Seniors meet on Friday mornings at 9:30 a.m. at the Habig Center. On Friday, April 17<sup>th</sup> we will be singing at Good Samaritan Nursing Center at 9:30 a.m. Come join them some time. Please note the time change!

B I N G O				
7	25	44	57	62
15	22	40	50	70
11	30	FREE SPACE	46	74
2	28	37	55	68
10	27	39	59	75

- **BINGO** will be held on Tuesdays, April 14<sup>th</sup>, and 28<sup>th</sup> beginning at 12:00 noon. We ask you to keep bills to \$5 and under or correct change. Thanks for your cooperation. Cost \$1.00 per card to play all 50 games. Beginning at 11:30 a.m. someone will be there to collect. **We're asking everyone to donate a quarter that wants to play in the coverall for the prize.**



- **QUILTING BEES** will be held on Mondays, April 13<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. All quilters are welcome to attend and lunch will be provided. We appreciate all the quilting that you do for us!!



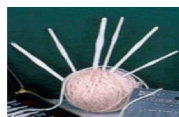
- **CARD TOURNEYS:**
  - **Thursday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
Euchre Tourney
  - **Thursday, April 9<sup>th</sup>**  
Sheephead Tourney
  - **Thursday, April 30<sup>th</sup>**  
Rum Tourney

Games start at 12:00 (noon) and last till at least 3:00 p.m. \$1.00 entry fee is requested and prizes will be given away. Please sign up by 10:00 a.m. the morning of the tourney. **We will play six (6) games per tourney except rum, 7 games.** Hope you'll join us.

- **CATERED MEAL:** This month's catered meal will be **Thursday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>**, by **Schnitzelbank Catering at 11:30 a.m.** Our menu will be: Assorted sausages, mashed potatoes, green beans, sauerkraut, garden salad with assorted dressings, biscuits and apple butter, decaf coffee or iced tea. Cost of the meal will be \$6.00. **Reservations are due by 12:00 p.m. Thursday, April 16<sup>th</sup>.** Money will be collected at the door.

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- **CROCHET CLUB** will meet at **1:00 p.m. on Monday, April 20<sup>th</sup>.** Any Senior Citizen who crochet is welcome to join the club. We'll be sharing patterns. Bring your crochet hook, thread/yarn and pattern to crochet while at the meeting. New ladies are always welcome. We decided to move the meeting date back one (1) week until the 3rd Monday of the month at 1:00 p.m.

### **\*\*\*\*\*SPECIAL ACTIVITIES:\*\*\*\*\***

- **LUNCH BUNCH:** Join us at **Buffalo Wings and Rings for lunch on Wednesday, April 29<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 a.m.** As always this is dutch treat. We'll meet out at their new restaurant for lunch at Jasper's south west side. It's located at the corner of U.S. 231 and W. 100 South (turn left after Sternberg's). **Reservations are due into the Center by 12:00 p.m. on Friday, April 24<sup>th</sup>.** Hope you'll go to lunch with us!!



- **BOOK CLUB:** Do you like to read? Would you be interested in a book discussion group? What books would you like to read and discuss? The first meeting will be **Wednesday, April 15<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m.** We'll decide: what books you want to read, date and time for the meetings. Also would you be interested in leading the book club discussion? If interested in attending/leading the discussion but can't make it, please let staff know by calling the Center at: 482-4455.

- **TCE/VITA TAX ASSISTANCE:** The local Center's: Older Americans, Huntingburg, and Ferdinand will offer income tax assistance for Senior Citizens. Volunteers will be available to file our income taxes by appointment. The following tells each Center's phone number so please call for an appointment first.

**OLDER AMERICANS** will have volunteers available on **Tuesdays and Fridays through April 14th.** Call **482-4455** for an appointment.

**HUNTINGBURG SENIOR CENTER** will offer assistance to file income taxes on Tuesdays. To make an appointment please call: **683-2994.**

**FERDINAND SENIOR CENTER** will offer assistance to file income taxes. To make an appointment please call: **367-2300.**

**BE SURE TO BRING:** Copy of last year's tax returns (2007), all forms – W-2's and 1099's, information for other income, information for all deductions and/or credits. (Basically any form of income). **PLEASE WAIT UNTIL YOU HAVE ALL OF YOUR PAPERS BEFORE MAKING AN APPOINTMENT.**

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- **SUNDAYS:** The Center will be open Sundays from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. for your enjoyment. Thanks for offering to open the Center.
- **THE HABIG ROOM:** The Habig Room will be open Thursdays from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. for touring.
- **CASINO AZTAR TRIP:** Buses will leave the Armory Parking Lot at 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> for Casino Aztar. Pick-ups can be made at the Huntingburg United Methodist Church upon request. Those going will need to fill out the manifest on the charter bus. Also, don't forget your government issued ID (driver's license) in case you are a big winner!!
- **CENTER CLOSED:** The Center will be closed Good Friday, April 10<sup>th</sup> and Easter Sunday, April 12<sup>th</sup>. Have a joyous Easter everyone.

- **RECIPE EXCHANGE:** We have a basket on the receptionist's desk to put your favorite recipe in. We'll pick out one (1) a month to put in the Newsletter with your name on it. We'd appreciate your help to keep recipe's in the column. Thank you!!

**SHRIMP CASSEROLE:**

Sauté: 1 small bell pepper , chopped  
2 ribs celery, chopped  
1/2 medium onion, chopped  
1 small jar pimiento  
1 stick oleo or butter

Mix this with: 1 cup raw peeled shrimp  
1 can cream of mushroom soup  
1/2 jar cheez whiz (4 oz.)  
1 or 2 tablespoon Hot sauce, if you like  
Season to taste

Bake 350° for 30 minutes.

Recipe submitted by Grace Huther

HAPPY APRIL BIRTHDAY'S!!

3<sup>rd</sup> Esther Englert  
8<sup>th</sup> Urban Eckert  
8<sup>th</sup> Mary Miller  
9<sup>th</sup> Dorothy Lechner  
12<sup>th</sup> Jean Walters  
12<sup>th</sup> Meleties "Mel" Weyer  
13<sup>th</sup> Frieda Messmer  
15<sup>th</sup> Cyrilla Fromme  
18<sup>th</sup> Mary Elizabeth Gross  
19<sup>th</sup> Albert August  
24<sup>th</sup> Matilda Burger  
28<sup>th</sup> Norida Hilgeman  
30<sup>th</sup> Bonnie Wininger

HAPPY APRIL ANNIVERSARIES!!

4<sup>th</sup> - Mr. & Mrs. Frank Lee  
9<sup>th</sup> - Mr. & Mrs. Russell Starkey  
11<sup>th</sup> - Mr. & Mrs. Bob Bachman  
16<sup>th</sup> - Mr. & Mrs. Denny Moeller  
19<sup>th</sup> - Mr. & Mrs. Vincent Hasenour  
21<sup>st</sup> - Mr. & Mrs. Tom Hopf  
23<sup>rd</sup> - Mr. & Mrs. Aloysius Welp  
30<sup>th</sup> - Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Summers  
30<sup>th</sup> - Mr. & Mrs. Andy Vogler